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## "BOY AND HIS GANG"

SUBJECT OF DOCTOR PUFFER'S TALK TUESDAY NIGHT.

## 10 TO 16 THE GANG AGE

Critical Time in Boy's Life at This Formative Period Which Affords Parents Greatest Opportunity.

### Tonight's Program.

8:00—Concert, Byron's Troubadours.

### Thursday's Program.

Morning:

10:30—Lecture, Dr. Puffer.

Afternoon:

2:00—Prelude concert, Byron's Troubadours.

2:45—Lecture, Mrs. Leonora M. Lake.

4:30—Open air band concert, Ladies band.

Evening:

7:45—Prelude, Byron's Troubadours.

8:30—Address, Hon. Richard Yates, ex-governor of Illinois.

Constantly illustrating his lecture with those stories from the lives of real boys which give his talks their intense human and realistic character, Dr. Puffer spoke Tuesday night on "The Boy and His Gang."

Dr. Puffer said that boys enter gang life about the age of 10, because then they cease to be individualistic animals and become social animals. They no longer care for individual games, but want group games, such as football and base ball. Then at the age of 15 to 16 the sex instinct enters into their lives; they assume a protective and superior air toward all younger boys, and they leave their gangs.

So it is between the ages of 10 and 16 that boys live in gangs, and three out of every four boys in the United States belong at one time or another to a gang.

Dr. Puffer emphasized the qualities taught in gang life as the best qualities a man can have. They are obedience, co-operation, self-sacrifice and loyalty.

These qualities, when directed under the leadership of irresponsible persons, become dangerous, so Dr. Puffer urged the fathers to become a member of their boys' gangs, take them swimming, fishing, and watch all of their activities.

"Give the boys a place to go and check their desire to run away. Teach them reverence and respect for other people's property by giving them something of their own to care for, and they will lose their desire to steal and destroy. "And above all," said Dr. Puffer, "trust the boy. It often changes the whole character of his life."

### Camp Notes.

When Miss Alma Nash and her Ladies' Military band returned to their commodious tent Tuesday evening from giving their program in the big tent at 4:30, they found five of their mothers there with a delightful luncheon ready to serve to them. It was a nice surprise, and the mothers were given every reason to believe their treat was appreciated. They were Mrs. Matt O'Brien, Mrs. Fred Caudle, Mrs. S. B. Davenport, Mrs. Roland Thomas and Mrs. G. A. Nash.

Miss Helen Ardery and Miss Esther Kane of St. Joseph arrived Tuesday night and will be guests for the remainder of the Chautauqua of Miss Alice Fraser at the Bridgets' camp. Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, an out-of-town member of the Bridgets came Tuesday, and, with her cousin, Miss Ella Walton Frank, are the chief Bridgets on Wednesday. We had a piece of pie at the Bridgets' camp Tuesday evening. And, honest! we didn't eat it. It simply melted in our mouth. The pie was made by a domestic science girl of our high school, mind you, not the State Normal.

B. E. Condon, Ellison Frank and Goff Crawford are the hosts of a camp that they can't think of a name good enough for. It is just that enjoyable that no name exactly suits. Monday evening the boys cooked a nice supper and served the following guests:

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CRANE'S.

B. E.'s mother, Mrs. B. E. Condon, and her sister, Mrs. John W. Tompson of Kansas City, and three girl friends, Misses Mildred Hancock, Anna Davenport, Fay Herndon and her guest, Miss Nora Brown of Kansas City. On Tuesday evening their guests were Misses Marie Binter, Marcia Cutler and Hazel Garrett.

Mrs. C. A. McArthur and son, Ray, and Mrs. McArthur's little sister, Sadie Swaney, of Pickering, came Wednesday morning to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orlin G. Null of Pickering, who are here in camp for the week.

Miss Edith Anderson of Cosby, Mo., is the guest of Misses Litta and Golda Roelofson and Misses Gertrude and Lola Wright at their camp.

Mrs. Mary Wray of Hopkins came to Maryville Wednesday morning and is the Chautauqua park guest of relatives for a few days. Mrs. Wray was accompanied to Maryville by her nephew and niece, Dale Bugbee and sister; Miss Ruth Bugbee of Steele City, Neb., who will visit here Wednesday. They leave Thursday morning for their home.

Mrs. G. C. Trusty and daughters of Burlington Junction are visiting Mr. Trusty's mother, Mrs. John L. Wallace, and attending the Chautauqua.

Misses Viva and Marie Cloud and their cousin guests, Misses Hazel Wallace and Cora Carver of Clearmont, are in camp, chaperoned by Mrs. William Wise and little daughter, Grace. Mrs. Wise also had charge of the Mothers' Circle tent Monday and Tuesday, but only two babies were placed in her care. Maryville mothers are so used to being their own nurse girls, which accounts for the fine, beautiful children Maryville has, that they are just beginning to think about the nursery at Chautauqua park, and the last of the week will probably give the new institution of the Mothers' Circle a better trial.

Miss Mabel Strickler of Skidmore was the Tuesday guest at the King's Daughters' camp, which is chaperoned by Miss LaRue Kemp.

Last night, when Julia, in the grand opera "Martha," refused to go to the kitchen and wash dishes, the big roaring basso, amazed at her independence, accused her of having joined the Hum Drum club. That's the first time we ever heard of a specialty being introduced in grand opera.

Mrs. W. H. Sawin and daughter, Miss Veva, of Atchison, Kan., arrived in the city Tuesday night and are guests at the camp of Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean.

Miss Hazel Everhart was the guest at Camp Kil Kare Tuesday night.

"Nodaway on Sunshine Avenue" is the name of the camp of the Young Ladies' Bridge club. Miss Mary Shaaber of Reading, Pa., and Messrs. Cleve Funk and Will Montgomery were the club's guests Tuesday evening at a pinhole luncheon. Miss Babe Howden of Skidmore arrived Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Rena Sturm at this camp and of Miss Lottie Perrin and Miss Nelle Conrad.

Miss Eva Montgomery is the chaperon at the Hum Drum camp Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Greeson and Miss Clara Davenport were Tuesday guests at the camp of M. A. Nicholas and family.

"The Bachelors' Bunk" is the camp of Clarence Cook, Merle Sealeman, Harold Stafford, John Scowden, "Buster," Harold's little fox terrier, that jumps from an 18-foot ladder, is also there, of course, to-be-sure and faith he is.

"The Silent Sell" camp (c-e-i-l, they spell it, but it's a joke to spell it that way, because they haven't been silent a moment, their neighbors say) is where Aubrey Lyle, Robert Brown, Eugene Cummings, Vern Pickens, Lawrence Keefer and Jesse Miller are hosts. Their musical program Tuesday evening called out the humane society.

"The Bachelor Maids" camp is across the way from "The Silent Sell" and is chaperoned by Mrs. Harry Shipps. They entertained the hosts of "The Silent Sell" at breakfast Tuesday morning and in the evening their guests were Mrs. Chester Bennett. (Continued on Page 2.)

## BIG MUSICAL TREAT ARE GETTING READY

CHICAGO OPERA CO. MADE A HIT AT CHAUTAUQUA.

## GOT CHAUTAUQUA SALUTE TO HAVE SIX BIG DAYS

After Responding to Encore Tuesday Night—Are Very Pleased and Would Like to Come Back.

Full Program Arranged and Committee in Charge of Various Departments at Work.

Maryville had its biggest musical event Tuesday, when the Chicago Opera company appeared and gave the afternoon program and the prelude to the evening program. Their work began Monday afternoon, when they gave several brilliant numbers, assisted by Mrs. Pearl Hutton-Schrader of Spokane, Wash.

Maryville may well feel proud of herself for being able to appreciate these artists. The Chicago people are so well pleased with the reception they were given that Mr. Middleton, that magnificent basso, said he would like to come back and give us a recital some time, because he found it worth his while to sing for us.

The company certainly gave a program of the best music that could be given at a Chautauqua. Their voices are so well balanced in power, quality, range and ease of execution that it is not possible to tell about them.

The crowning event of their work here with us was their presentation of two scenes from the grand opera "Martha," by Flotow, given in costume, when they brought the audience to its feet at its close, in the encore number, the sextet from Lucia, when the Chautauqua salute was given in goodbye to them, as they left for their train for the next date.

Their afternoon program was a soprano, bass and tenor trio from "The Creation," by Haydn; bass solo, "Why Do the Nations So Curiously Rage," from "The Messiah," by Handel; contralto, aria from "Elijah," by Mendelssohn; soprano, aria from "La Boheme," by Puccini; tenor, "The Flower Song" from "Carmen," by Bizet; quartet from "Rigoletto," by Verdi. Mr. Middleton, the basso, gave

Children's day—W. M. Oakerson. Poultry show—Ed Andrews. Vegetable and fruit display—George Null.

Auto day—G. B. Roseberry. Old settlers' day—Frank Bolin. Fraternal day—Frank Bolin, Berney Harris and A. S. Robey.

The program for the week follows: Monday—Get ready day. Tuesday—Automobile day. Wednesday—Horse show day. Thursday—Horse show in the morning and public wedding in afternoon. Friday—Fraternal and old settlers' day.

Saturday—Pony show in the morning and children's parade in the afternoon.

RECORD PRICE MADE.

Yearling Steers and Heifers at \$9.15 Sets New High Mark.

Nodaway county set a new high record price on yearlings at the St. Joseph market Tuesday. The Stock Yards Journal says:

Hamilton Lowery, a successful farmer and live stock raiser of Hopkins, Nodaway county, Mo., was on today's market with one car of Polled Angus mixed yearling steers and heifers, of his own raising and feeding, that established a new high price record on this market for cattle of that classification. The shipment included twenty head, averaging 866 pounds, that sold at \$9.15. Mr. Lowery was rather jubilant over his sale and figures a neat profit on the raising and maturing of this bunch of baby beefes.

ON TRIP TO NEW YORK.

Five Maryville People Will Start Thursday Evening Over the Bar.

Bunting for the East.

Mr. D. R. Eversole and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole, Mrs. Lavencour Michau, Miss Neva Airy and G. B. Holmes, Jr., will leave Thursday evening for New York.

Mr. Eversole and his daughter-in-law go to purchase goods for the Eversole dry goods store. Mrs. Michau will visit her daughter, Mrs. Edward H. Williams, in New York City for some time, and Miss Airy will be the guest of her uncle, Mr. Frank Airy, in that city.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., will go to Albany to visit his father's sister, Mrs. James E. Eddy.

The entire party will make their trip by the scenic route.

Dr. D. J. Hunterson and Ezra McMillin of Ravenwood were business visitors Wednesday.

## TWO WILLS FILED FOR PROBATE.

Jas. A. Greenlee Left \$4,000 to Daughters and Grandchildren—Life Inter- est to Wife of W. E. Johnston.

The will of Jas. A. Greenlee of Hopkins, who died August 8, was filed for probate Tuesday. A. F. Beinert of Hopkins is named as administrator of the will, which disposes of 180 acres in Nodaway county and 160 acres in Greeley county, Kan., to a daughter, Cora Tatman, and 200 acres in Nodaway and 160 in Greeley county, Kan., to the six children of his deceased son, Lafayette Greenlee.

Mary E. Johnston was named Tuesday as the administratrix of the will of her husband, Wm. E. Johnston. By the terms of the will she receives a life interest in the estate. At her death the property is to be divided among three children of the testator, Charles E., John L. and Margaret E. Johnston.

Mrs. Nellie Manley was appointed administratrix of the estate of Edward T. Manley, her husband, Wednesday morning by Judge Conn.

## News of Society and Women's Clubs

### Resume Their Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nabring of Muncie, Ind., the newly-weds who have been the guests of Professor and Mrs. J. A. Lesh for several days, resumed their honeymoon trip to the west Wednesday morning.

### Attended Week-End Party at Pickering

Glen Brummett and sister, Edna, and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swaney composed an automobile party Saturday night to Pickering, where they attended a week-end party given at the home of Glen and Edna's cousin, east of that town.

### Were Monday Guests at Infirmary.

Mrs. R. G. Brummett and daughter, Edna, entertained the following guests Monday afternoon: Mrs. F. M. Bramhall and daughter, Ruth, of Mt. Auburn, Ia.; Mrs. H. H. Broday, B. C. Hall, Oma Hall of Wilcox and Fred Riley, wife and daughter of Veray, Ind.; John Corden, Hallie Corden and Beulah Corden of Skidmore.

### Informal Morning Party.

Miss Edna Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, entertained with a domino party Tuesday morning from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock, in honor of Miss Margaret Beale of St. Joseph, who, with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Beale, are guests at the Moore home and Miss Alice Galbreath of Graham, a cousin of the hostess. Miss Edna Wilson made the highest score at the games. A luncheon was served after the games.

### A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. Ervin Shelman last Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelman, five miles east of Pickering, the event being in honor of his sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent in music and games, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. Shelman and daughter, Miss Fanne. Those present were Misses Edith Boyd, Katie and Nellie Curry, Opal Rodgers, Grace Smith, Flora and Besse Sheiman, Lois Bosch, Annie Leech, Besse, Dolly and Ada Dinsmore, Naoma Simmons, Nellie Gonser, Fanice Shelman, Grace Hood, Grace Lincoln, Leila Oliphant, Katie and Addie Killiam, Mary Leech, Letta Hautze, Hazel Bloomfield, Fern New, Messrs. Roy Curry, Ralph Boyd, Harry and Clarence Gonser, Henry Thompson, Roy and Fred Killiam, Charley and Leiland McKee, Lenord Bosch, Martin and Thomas Farrel, Corrie Leech, Clarence and James Jones, Hardie and Ervin Shelman, Joe Scott, Dennis Leech, Clarence Neal, Willie Stone, Glenn Bloomfield, Guy Lincoln, Burley Gray, Charley Hood, Frank New, Harry Lazenby, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Young, Doyle Young, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shelman, Galen and Estel Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea.

### JAMES BAILEY DEAD.

Old Resident of Elmo Died Tuesday Afternoon at 8 o'clock.

James Bailey, for many years a highly respected resident of near Elmo, died at his home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after a long illness. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the pastor of the M. E. church, Rev. W. C. Long.

W. C. Long was until recently the editor of the Stanberry Owl-Headlight, but for several months he has been devoting his time to church work.

Mrs. Lulu B. Hulet and daughter, Miss Wave Hulet, went to Denver, Mo., Tuesday to visit Mrs. Hulet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Leachamp.

J. Faulkner of Pickering was a Maryville visitor Wednesday.

## TOSSSED IN BLANKET

NORTON BARREL HAS ARM BROKEN AT CHAUTAUQUA.

## A DANGEROUS PRACTICE

Very Often Too Few Persons Are Engaged to Assure Safety—Injured Boy Doing Well.

The blanket tossing which has been going on at the Chautauqua park and furnishing amusement for the spectators culminated Tuesday evening in the breaking of the arm at the wrist of Norton Harrel, son of Rev. Lee Harrel.

While the accident was most unfortunate, no blame can be placed on the participants other than that such a practice is always dangerous.

Norton was one of several boys to ask to be tossed in the blanket. Those who saw the accident say he was not thrown very high, and did not strike the ground at any time. It is thought that his arm was broken by being snatched or twisted when he held onto the edge of the blanket.

The accident occurred just before the lecture of the evening was over. Rev. and Mrs. Harrel left the grounds before they could be notified of the accident. Dr. Leslie Dean was on the grounds and took the boy home in J. B. Robinson's car. The arm was set by Dr. Nash, the family physician. Norton is doing very well today.

The Spins club tossed some of their members in a blanket Sunday, with injury to no one. Then other boys took it up, and in their enthusiasm too few persons often tried to toss others, resulting in letting them strike the ground, jarring and bruising them. Such a thing is very dangerous and liable to seriously injure a person's back or neck.

The boys who tossed Norton Harrel belonged to no particular club or crowd. They had just

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For Judge of North District—Wm. Blackford.

For Prosecuting Attorney—George Pat Wright.

For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.

For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.

For Surveyor—J. E. Reese.

For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.

For Public Administrator—J. F. Reelofson.

## Setting Up Concrete Form.

The patent collapsible concrete form recently contracted for by the county court was set up Wednesday on the Main street road a mile and a half north of town over Cady branch for a 6-foot culvert. If the court is satisfied with the demonstration the form will be purchased, otherwise the contract will be rescinded.

## Today's Markets

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—19,000. Market strong. Es-  
timate tomorrow, 6,000.

Hogs—25,000. Market strong; top,  
\$8.55. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.

Sheep—20,000. Market steady.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—11,000. Market strong.

Hogs—6,000. Market strong; top,  
\$8.50.

Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong.

Hogs—5,200. Market strong; top,  
\$8.50.

Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

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Fels Naptha Soap at..... 4c

P. & G. White Naptha Soap, 4 for 15c

1912 pack Black Raspberries, in gal-  
lon cans, chuck full of fruit for 55c

Best Matches, 10 boxes for..... 25c

25c cans Kansas City Baking Powder  
for..... 18c

15c size cans Pork and Beans, with to-  
mato sauce, 2 cans..... 15c

Best Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans for 15c

New pack Peas, 2 cans..... 25c

EXTRA SPECIAL.

15c box Corn Flakes (at half  
price), 2 for..... 15c

Libby's finest Apple Butter (Pyra-  
mid brand), full quart cans 18c

50 Cudahy's Sugar Cured Picnic

Hams, 6 to 8 lbs each, at..... 12c

15 cans Libby's Vienna Sausage,  
with tomato dressing..... 8c

500 lbs best Jelly Beans, assorted,  
per lb, 10c; 3 lbs for..... 25c

5 lbs choicest Lump Starch for..... 18c

19 lbs Cane Granulated Sugar for \$1.00

Pure Fruit Jelly, large tumblers, 2  
for..... 15c

California Lemons, doz..... 20c

Choice Cucumbers, 3 for..... 5c

Smoked Herring, boneless and  
skinned, lb..... 20c

Best quality Pickles, gal..... 25c

Fresh Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs for..... 25c

500 lbs Cabbage, per lb..... 2c

Extra choice Peaches, peck..... 45c

Fresh Corn, 2 doz..... 25c

Grapes, per basket, 25c; 2 for..... 45c

Thursday evening and Friday fore-  
noon—

50 bushels choice Elberta Peaches, per  
bushel..... \$1.50

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH  
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CLEARING HOUSES

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Cert. in Arbitrary Charges.

## WOULD AFFECT ENTIRE COUNTRY

Role by Which New York Banks Col-  
lect Millions Annually May Have  
to be Changed to Comply  
with Anti-Trust Laws.

Washington, Aug. 14.—A collateral  
phase of the so-called money trust  
is being investigated by Attorney  
General Wickersham.

The inquiry, which may affect  
clearing house associations throughout  
the country, revolves about the rule of the New York Clearing House  
association requiring its members to  
charge a specified sum for the col-  
lection of out-of-town checks drawn  
on certain parts of the country, and  
at the same time giving them discre-  
tion whether to make charges for  
similar collections in other locali-  
ties.

## Which Law is Violated?

A careful and thorough study of  
the workings of this rule is being  
made by the attorney general. It is  
said, to determine whether the Sher-  
man anti-trust law or the national  
bank act is being violated. If action  
is taken it will make precedent for all  
clearing house associations having  
similar rules.

According to the rule of the New  
York Clearing House association, the  
banks comprising its membership are  
compelled to charge one-tenth of 1  
per cent for the collection of checks  
payable in most of the states in the  
East and Central West, while the  
charge for the far South and far  
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the other hand, the banks are given  
discretion to charge or not to charge  
collection commissions on other locali-  
ties.

## Two Questions Involved.

There are two questions involved  
in the inquiry—the right of the banks  
by concerted action through the clear-  
ing house association to agree on  
fixed charges and their right to  
charge in some localities and not in  
others. The officials of the depart-  
ment of justice have recently been in  
communication with managers of the  
clearing house association to ascer-  
tain the facts.

The association, it is understood,  
has pointed out that in addition to  
the cost of collection the charge is  
fair and necessary, because a custo-  
mer is permitted to draw on an out-  
of-town check at once, the bank re-  
ceiving no interest during the period  
of collection.

These collections by New York  
banks have been variously estimated  
from \$3,000,000 to \$17,000,000 yearly.

**Theaters Without Orchestra.**  
Chicago, Aug. 14.—Four downtown  
theaters have decided to do away  
with orchestras. Under the rules of  
the Chicago Federation of Musicians,  
the four houses, being in the first  
class, must employ a minimum of  
11 musicians in their orchestras or  
none at all. The theaters chose the  
latter alternative.

**General Booth III.**  
London, Aug. 14.—General Booth of  
the Salvation Army is critically ill.  
He has been in failing health for a  
long time, but seemed better lately.  
"I regret," his doctor said, "that the  
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## MOB PUNISHED NEGRO SLAYER

**HAD JUST BEEN SENTENCED TO  
THREE YEARS IN PRISON.**

Culprit Was Taken From Officers in  
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Were Unmasked.

**Normal Supplies, Crane's**

special prices at

Columbus, Ga., Aug. 14.—Holding  
up officials in the courthouse, a mob  
of about 40 men here took T. Z. Cotton,  
also known as T. Z. McElhenny,  
a 16-year-old negro on trial, and  
lynched him just beyond the city limits  
in broad daylight. The negro was  
accused of killing Cedron Land, a  
white boy, near town two months ago.

Guards were overpowered in the  
courthouse a few minutes after Cotton  
had been sentenced to three years in  
prison. A jury had just brought in  
a verdict of "guilty of unlawful man-  
slaughter."

The courthouse was crowded during  
the trial. As soon as court adjourned  
many of the officials left. When de-  
puties started out with the prisoner on  
the way to the jail they were sur-  
rounded and disarmed and held in the  
courthouse while a score or more of  
men took the prisoner to a street car.  
On reaching the negro quarter of  
town the passengers were ordered off  
the car, which then proceeded a few  
hundred yards. Then the negro was  
taken off and shot. The mob dis-  
persed at once.

Land was found in a field with a  
shotgun wound in his face. He had  
had trouble with the negro, who was  
soon arrested. It is said Cotton con-  
fessed.

The members of the mob were not  
masked and many of them were  
recognized. An inquest was held and  
there will be an investigation of the  
lynching immediately.

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courthouse a few minutes after Cotton  
had been sentenced to three years in  
prison. A jury had just brought in  
a verdict of "guilty of unlawful man-  
slaughter."

The courthouse was crowded during  
the trial. As soon as court adjourned  
many of the officials left. When de-  
puties started out with the prisoner on  
the way to the jail they were sur-  
rounded and disarmed and held in the  
courthouse while a score or more of  
men took the prisoner to a street car.  
On reaching the negro quarter of  
town the passengers were ordered off  
the car, which then proceeded a few  
hundred yards. Then the negro was  
taken off and shot. The mob dis-  
persed at once.

Land was found in a field with a  
shotgun wound in his face. He had  
had trouble with the negro, who was  
soon arrested. It is said Cotton con-  
fessed.

The members of the mob were not  
masked and many of them were  
recognized. An inquest was held and  
there will be an investigation of the  
lynching immediately.

## AMERICAN FENCE

The recent advance in the manufacturers' price of all steel products will not affect our price on Fence for probably 20 or 30 days, as we have in stock approximately 6000 rods of American Fence which will be sold at the same old price.

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# BANKERS HELP UNCOVER GRAFT

Clearing House Orders Records of Deposits Given to Prosecutor.

## BECKER WEALTH CAME RAPIDLY

Anxious to Break Up Alliance Between Police and Gamblers New York Institutions Break Long Established Custom.

New York, Aug. 14.—Powerful banking interests, acting through the New York clearing house committee came to the aid of District Attorney Whitman in his efforts to show a corrupt alliance between police and gamblers, founded on graft and blackmail.

A virtual command was given by the committee to all banks in the clearing house to furnish the district attorney with a record of deposits they may have received from any of the high police officials whom the district attorney suspects of having been collectors of blackmail from the disorderly elements of the city.

Got \$58,845 in Eight Months.

Records show that within the last eight months Police Lieut. Charles Becker, charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal and accused of gambling graft, has made deposits in four banks of \$58,845 in his own name or that of his wife.

Becker's salary as a police lieutenant was \$2,250 a year.

These deposits were first made in November, 1911, shortly after Becker became head of the "strong arm" squad of gambling raiders, and continued all during the time that Jack Rose says he was collecting graft for Becker and until after his arrest.

Used Four Other Banks.

The district attorney has been promised records of Becker's deposits in four other banks which have not yet had time to go over their accounts.

Although the natural feeling of bank officials is to protect as a legally confidential secret the amount of deposits of their customers, Whitman was assured by leading bankers of the city that they were anxious as public spirited citizens to have the police force purged of its grafters and that they would give him every aid in their power.

The district attorney is holding for presentation to the grand jury evidence by which he expects to convict the police inspectors on the charge of collecting blackmail from gambling houses and disorderly resorts.

Fortunes Hidden Away.

These four men are all aware, it is said, of the nature of the evidence which the district attorney has against them and have been making every effort to cover their tracks. Thus far the state's investigators have uncovered bank accounts of two of them totalling \$75,000. The prosecutor expects, however, with the aid of the clearing house officers to unearth bank accounts of four of them which are expected to disclose some surprisingly large fortunes, in one case an accumulation of nearly \$1,000,000.

## PANIC AVERTED BY CIRCUS BAND

Heavy Storm Broke Center Poles Played "America" While Crowd Was Quieted.

Iowa Moines, Ia., Aug. 14.—A near panic resulted when three large poles supporting the main tent of a circus snapped in two in the storm here.

Circus performers and spectators began hurrying from the tent. The clashing notes of a clown band were hushed and every band in the big tent joined in playing "America" very softly and circus employes hurried around telling the spectators that there was no danger. Only one injury was reported.

Reports indicate that the storm was general in central and southern Iowa but no loss of life has been reported.

## PLUMBERS' TRUST TO BE OUSTED

Attorney General Dawson Files Suit Against Wyandotte County and State Organizations.

Topeka, Aug. 14.—John S. Dawson, Kansas attorney general, has drawn papers for the ouster suit against the alleged plumbers' trust in Kansas City, Kan. The attorney general has been investigating the alleged manipulation of prices by the plumbers for some time and spent three days in Kansas City getting the evidence on which the suit will be based.

The ouster will be filed in the Kansas supreme court immediately and will be brought against the Wyandotte county and state organizations of plumbers under the anti-trust law.

Tornado Hit Kansas Fair.

Pratt, Kan., Aug. 14.—A small tornado struck the fair grounds here, tearing down part of the grandstand and demolishing every concession stand on the grounds. Many thousands of dollars' worth of damage was done to the stocks of goods. Work was started immediately in repairing the damage for the big day of the fair.

PHILANDER C. KNOX



## WOOL BILL VETO IS TURNED DOWN

House Passed Measure by Narrow Margin of Five Votes.

### RULING OF SPEAKER DISPUTED

Clark Stood Pat and Refused to Reconsider Decision—Senate Action Unlike—Sugar Conference Disagree.

Washington, Aug. 14.—By the narrow margin of five votes, the house passed the wool tariff revision bill over President Taft's veto. The vote, 174 to 80, was made possible by the defection of 21 Republicans, who voted with the Democrats.

The announcement of Democratic success created a wild scene in the house, and amid great confusion the Republican leaders protested that Speaker Clark count as voting ten members who answered "present" to their names, a ruling which would have defeated the Democratic program by overcoming the five-vote margin, making impossible the recording of the necessary two-thirds vote of the house. This the speaker declined to do.

Marks End of Sugar Bill.

Less than an hour after the wool bill had been repassed in the house the conferees on the sugar tariff bill met and disagreed.

This action is expected to mark the end of sugar tariff consideration in the present session, and the excise tax bill, which was framed to make up revenues that would have been lost by the reduction of the sugar tariff, also probably will remain in conference when congress adjourns.

While Democratic and Progressive leaders of the senate do not believe the wool bill can be passed in that body over the president's veto, they will continue the demand for action on the cotton tariff measure.

Tumult Follows Passage.

Not in the memory of the oldest members of the house has a tariff measure ever been passed over the president's veto by the lower branch of congress.

When Speaker Clark announced the vote and declared the bill again had been passed, "the president's veto to the contrary notwithstanding," there was a wild outburst of applause from the Democratic side. The tumult was increased by the demands of a half dozen Republicans that the ruling was unconstitutional.

When a semblance of order was restored, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts insisted that the constitution provided that a two-thirds vote of the house was necessary. The speaker, when the debate broke out with renewed vigor, quickly put a damper on it.

"You may talk all you want," he said, "but the chair has no intention now or later of changing its ruling."

### FIFTY-THREE COUNTIES REPORT

Kansas Returns Show Steady Gain for Stubb—Now Leading Curtis by 2,000.

Topeka, Aug. 14.—Gov. Stubb is leading Senator Curtis by more than 2,000 in the popular majority in one-half the Kansas counties from which official returns had been received by Charles Sessions, secretary of state.

There are returns from 53 of the counties received and the total on these counties gives Stubb 23,383 and Curtis 21,366.

Some of the big Curtis counties like Shawnee, Crawford and Cherokee were not in the list and big Stubb counties like Wyandotte and Sedgwick were not included. Most of the counties counted are small western Kansas counties which the governor carried.

The big counties missing are also almost a standoff on the votes so it is impossible to tell yet whether the governor has the popular majority. The indications are that he has, as the figures obtained from 71 counties through the newspapers and the official figures gives it to the governor by 1,269.

The Largest Mule Burned.

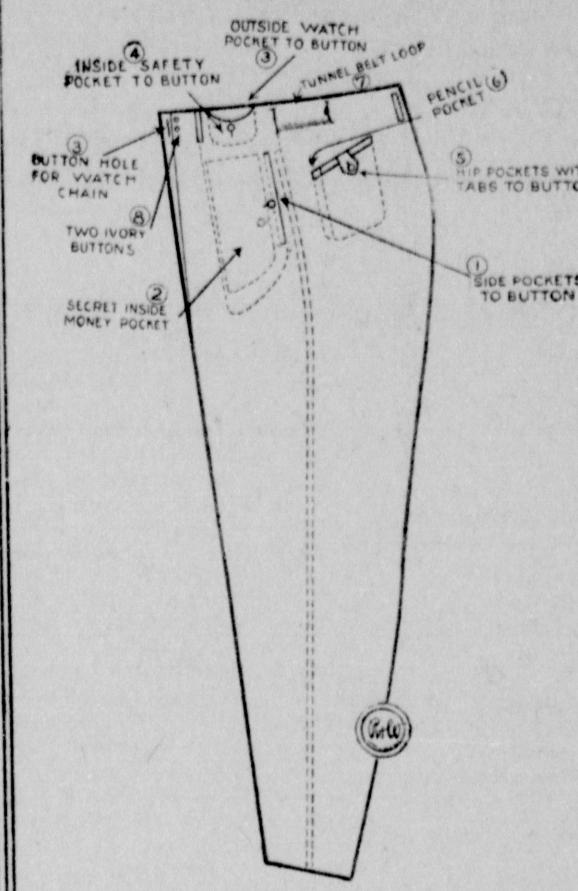
Trenton, Mo., Aug. 14.—The mule Illinois, said to be the largest mule in the world, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the livery and feed barn of W. H. Warren here. Illinois belonged to W. D. Carpenter of Kansas City and was four years old. He weighed 2,610 pounds and was valued at \$1,000.

Schurman a Diplomat.

Washington, Aug. 14.—President Taft sent to the senate the nomination of Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell university, to be minister to Greece and Montenegro, and that of Christopher Kalaban to be receiver of public moneys at Vancouver, Wash.

Bars High School Frats.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 14.—The local school board put a ban on all secret societies in St. Joseph high school. All students entering the high schools must sign a pledge that they will not join any fraternity or sorority. Expulsion will be the penalty for a violation of the pledge.



## Pant Sale

Our Mr. Corwin, while in Chicago, has purchased the surplus stock of

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From the well known firm of Rosenwald & Weil, whose product is celebrated the country over. The lot consists of desirable patterns in Worsted and Cheviots, suitable for present and early fall wear.

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Mrs. John W. Koch returned to her home in St. Joseph Wednesday morning, having come on Tuesday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Edward Townsend Manley, who died at St. Francis hospital Sunday afternoon.

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### HAS SUFFERED LONG ENOUGH

From Poor Rural Schools—Mill Tax Amendment Will Mean Much For Schools and State.

Missouri has suffered long enough from poor rural schools. The farmers who have protested against the imitation education meted out to their children will cut short inadequate school conditions by voting for the school mill tax amendment, which will be a feature of the November ballot. The rural schools of other states are forging ahead of those of Missouri, and in those districts where consolidated schools have been established the farmers are content. Their sons and daughters are becoming of practical benefit to them. With the adoption of the mill tax amendment our rural children will get the square deal due them. Missouri farmers are not balky at education and never have. What they are really objecting to is the miserly sort of education offered. With the mill tax Missouri will get the best that can be had anywhere.

The right to go to school is the right of every child in the United States. Rural schools which afford but four months' terms each year and are taught by untrained teachers are not giving the child anything like its right. Missouri needs first class schools with first class teachers in charge and agricultural departments. Let us have them by putting over the school mill tax amendment, which provides for the equal distribution of school funds.

### NEW DAILY IN ST. JOSEPH.

#### Roosevelt Supporters Are Backing a New Newspaper Venture There.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 13.—Plans are under way for the starting of a progressive newspaper here, as neither of the local daily papers is in sympathy with the Bull Moose movement. The plan is favored by local Roosevelt supporters. According to present intentions the paper will be a 4-page 6-column daily. The paper will be backed by local Progressives. Frank L. Wright, former Denver and Kansas City newspaper man, will be editor, and Eli Admire of Denver, business manager.

J. F. Montgomery went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. J. A. Martin of Clyde was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

### WHAT REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY IS.

What has the result been? Prosperity? Yes; if by prosperity you mean vast wealth, no matter how distributed or whether distributed at all or not; if you mean just enterprises built up to be presently concentrated under the control of comparatively small bodies of men, who can determine almost at pleasure whether there shall be competition or not. The nation as a nation has grown immensely rich. She is justly proud of her industries and of the genius of her men of affairs. They can master anything they set their mind to, and we have been greatly stimulated under their leadership and command. Their laurels are many and very green. We must accord them the great honors that are their due, and we must preserve what they have built up for us. But what of the other side of the picture? It is not easy for us to live as it used to be. Our money will not buy as much. High wages, even when we can get them, yield us no great comfort. We used to be better off with less, because a dollar could buy so much more. The majority of us have been disturbed to find ourselves growing poorer, even though our earnings were slowly increasing. Prices climb faster than we can push our earnings up—From Woodrow Wilson's speech accepting the Democratic nomination

### LABOR AND THE RULE OF RIGHT.

The working people of America—if they must be distinguished from the minority that constitutes the rest of it—are, of course, the backbone of the nation. No law that safeguards their life, that improves the physical and moral conditions under which they live, that makes their hours of labor rational and tolerable, that gives them freedom to act in their own interest and that protects them where they cannot protect themselves, can properly be regarded as class legislation or as anything but as a measure taken in the interest of the whole people, whose partnership in right action we are trying to establish and make real and practical. It is in this spirit that we shall act if we are genuine spokesmen of the whole country.—From Woodrow Wilson's speech accepting the Democratic nomination

### Has Appropriated \$400.

The Missouri state board of horticulture has appropriated from its funds the sum of \$400 with which to duplicate regular premiums offered for fruit exhibits at the Missouri state fair at Sedalia, September 28-October 4th, 1912.

This co-operation on the part of the board with the fair management is for the purpose of arousing greater interest among the fruit growers of the state in the exhibition of their horticultural products.

Premium lists may be secured from John T. Stinson, secretary, Sedalia, Mo., or the secretary of the state board of horticulture, Columbia, Mo., will be glad to answer any and all inquiries concerning the above offer.

Missouri fruit growers should take advantage of this offer and send in their fruit as per instructions in the premium list.

### On Way to Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Nola Young, who has been visiting at Clarinda and Braddyville, Ia., for the past three months, was the guest Wednesday of her cousin, Miss Tura Hostetter of Pickering. Miss Young expects to be at home by September 1 at Mt. Pleasant, Ia., where she will begin her college and high school work.

### Harry Dungan in Town.

Attorney Harry Dungan of Oregon, Mo., was a business visitor in Maryville Wednesday, and also visited his friend Superintendent C. A. Hawkins. Mr. Dungan is a Hopkins young man, and is one of that town's products who are proving themselves of extra good quality.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the G. A. R. post and the W. R. C., and the ladies of the Baptist church and friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and attention to us at the death and burial of our beloved father, Cornelius Hull.

### THE HULL FAMILY.

### To Address Teachers.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal will address the Buchanan County Teachers' association at their county meeting to be held in St. Joseph on August 28 and 29. He will speak on the mill tax amendment.

### Will Attend Fern Theater.

J. B. Ellis of the Fern theater has extended invitations to the inmates of the county infirmary to attend the Fern theater Saturday afternoon, and it has been accepted by them.

Mrs. Maude Goodyear of Mt. Vernon, Ia., is a guest at the homes of J. W. Armstrong and J. S. Muntz. She is a niece of Mrs. Armstrong and a cousin of Mr. Muntz. Mr. Goodyear is in Excelsior Springs, where he and Mrs. Goodyear went in a car with another couple, and she left the party to visit relatives here.

Mr. William P. Filbert of Trenton, Neb., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Hostetter of Pickering. Mr. Filbert will visit at Tarkio and Clarinda, Ia., before returning to his home in Trenton.

Dr. Roland Allender of Boone, Ia., who has been spending a few days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender, left Tuesday for Lake Okoboji, Ia., to spend the remainder of his vacation.

Miss Lela Meadows has returned to her home, near Maitland, after her summer's work at the State Normal. Miss Meadows will teach near her home the coming year.

Miss Inn Hollowell left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives at Washington, Kan.

Mrs. M. G. Tate went to Excelsior Springs Wednesday morning for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Casteel of Raventown were in the city Wednesday.

### LIVERY



### AND REPAIRING

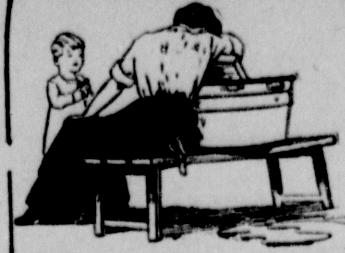
### A PERTINENT QUESTION.

How do you like to be the repairman? Not a very pleasant subject. No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

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Bring your car to us for inspection and repairs. This will win in the long run. Have you ever tried our repair service? You will find quick action and low prices.

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### Poor Mamma!

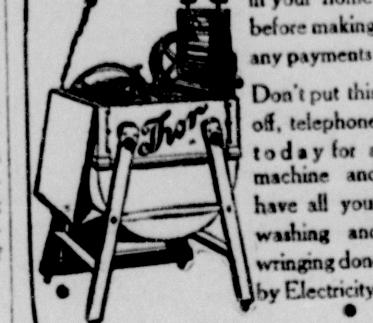
Did you ever come home to such a scene as this? Didn't it make you feel like a brute to think that your wife had to wear herself out at such drudgery? Put a stop to it now! On payments of only

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## "BOY AND HIS GANG"

SUBJECT OF DOCTOR PUFFER'S TALK TUESDAY NIGHT.

## 10 TO 16 THE GANG AGE

Critical Time in Boy's Life at This Formative Period Which Affords Parents Greatest Opportunity.

Tonight's Program.

8:00—Concert, Byron's Troubadours.

Thursday's Program.

Morning:

10:30—Lecture, Dr. Puffer.

Afternoon:

2:00—Prelude concert, Byron's Troubadours.

2:45—Lecture, Mrs. Leonora M. Lake.

4:30—Open air band concert, Ladies band.

Evening:

7:45—Prelude, Byron's Troubadours.

8:30—Address, Hon. Richard Yates, ex-governor of Illinois.

Constantly illustrating his lecture with those stories from the lives of real boys which give his talks their intense human and realistic character, Dr. Puffer spoke Tuesday night on "The Boy and His Gang."

Dr. Puffer said that boys enter gang life about the age of 10, because then they cease to be individualistic animals and become social animals. They no longer care for individual games, but want group games, such as football and base ball. Then at the age of 15 to 16 the sex instinct enters into their lives; they assume a protective and superior air toward all younger boys, and they leave their gangs.

So it is between the ages of 10 and 16 that boys live in gangs, and three out of every four boys in the United States belong at one time or another to a gang.

Dr. Puffer emphasized the qualities taught in gang life as the best qualities a man can have. They are obedience, co-operation, self-sacrifice and loyalty.

These qualities, when directed under the leadership of irresponsible persons, become dangerous, so Dr. Puffer urged the fathers to become a member of their boys' gangs, take them swimming, fishing, and watch all of their activities.

"Give the boys a place to go and check their desire to run away. Teach them reverence and respect for other people's property by giving them something of their own to care for, and they will lose their desire to steal and destroy. "And above all," said Dr. Puffer, "trust the boy. It often changes the whole character of his life."

### Camp Notes.

When Miss Alma Nash and her Ladies' Military band returned to their commodious tent Tuesday evening from giving their program in the big tent at 4:30, they found five of their mothers there with a delightful luncheon ready to serve to them. It was a nice surprise, and the mothers were given every reason to believe their treat was appreciated. They were Mrs. Matt O'Brien, Mrs. Fred Gaudle, Mrs. S. B. Davenport, Mrs. Roland Thomas and Mrs. G. A. Nash.

Miss Helen Ardery and Miss Esther Kane of St. Joseph arrived Tuesday night and will be guests for the remainder of the Chautauqua of Miss Alice Fraser at the Bridgets' camp. Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, an out-of-town member of the Bridgets came Tuesday, and, with her cousin, Miss Ella Walton Frank, are the chief Bridgets on Wednesday. We had a piece of pie at the Bridgets' camp Tuesday evening. And, honest! we didn't eat it. It simply melted in our mouth. The pie was made by a domestic science girl of our high school, mind you, not the State Normal.

B. E. Condon, Ellison Frank and Goff Crawford are the hosts of a camp that they can't think of a name good enough for. It is just that enjoyable that no name exactly suits. Monday evening the boys cooked a nice supper and served the following guests:

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## BIG MUSICAL TREAT ARE GETTING READY

CHICAGO OPERA CO. MADE A HIT AT CHAUTAUQUA.

## GOT CHAUTAUQUA SALUTE TO HAVE SIX BIG DAYS

After Responding to Encore Tuesday Night—Are Very Pleased and Would Like to Come Back.

Maryville had its biggest musical event Tuesday, when the Chicago Opera company appeared and gave the afternoon program and the prelude to the evening program. Their work began Monday afternoon, when they gave several brilliant numbers, assisted by Mrs. Pearl Hutton-Schrader of Spokane, Wash.

Maryville may well feel proud of herself for being able to appreciate these artists. The Chicago people are so well pleased with the reception they were given that Mr. Middleton, that magnificent basso, said he would like to come back and give us a recital some time, because he found it worth his while to sing for us.

The company certainly gave a program of the best music that could be given at a Chautauqua. Their voices are so well balanced in power, quality, range and ease of execution that it is not possible to tell about them.

The crowning event of their work here with us was their presentation of two scenes from the grand opera "Martha," by Flotow, given in costume, when they brought the audience to its feet at its close, in the encore number, the sextet from Lucia, when the Chautauqua salute was given in goodbye to them, as they left for their train for the next date.

Their afternoon program was a soprano, bass and tenor trio from "The Creation," by Haydn; basso solo, "Why Do the Nations So Curiously Rage," from "The Messiah," by Handel; contralto, aria from "Elijah," by Mendelssohn; soprano, aria from "La Boheme," by Puccini; tenor, "The Flower Song" from "Carmen," by Bizet; quartet from "Rigoletto," by Verdi. Mr. Middleton, the basso, gave as an encore a most beautiful rendering of "My Rosary." Mr. Nelson's superb piano numbers were "The Wedding Day," by Grieg; "The Witches' Dance" by MacDowell, and prelude by Rachmaninoff. This was the feast.

Miss Mabel Strickler of Skidmore was the Tuesday guest at the King's Daughters camp, which is chaperoned by Miss LaRue Kemp.

Last night, when Julia, in the grand opera "Martha," refused to go to the kitchen and wash dishes, the big roaring basso, amazed at her independence, accused her of having joined the Hum Drum club. That's the first time we ever heard of a specialty being introduced in grand opera.

Mrs. W. H. Sawin and daughter, Miss Veva, of Atchison, Kan., arrived in the city Tuesday night and are guests at the camp of Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Dean.

Miss Hazel Everhart was the guest at Camp Kil Kare Tuesday night.

"Nodaway on Sunshine Avenue" is the name of the camp of the Young Ladies' Bridge club. Miss Mary Shaaber of Reading, Pa., and Messrs. Cleve Funk and Will Montgomery were the club's guests Tuesday evening at a pinocchio luncheon. Miss Babe Howden of Skidmore arrived Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Rena Sturm at this camp and of Miss Lottie Perrin and Miss Nelle Conrad.

Miss Eva Montgomery is the chaperon at the Hum Drum camp Wednesday. Miss Margaret Greeson and Miss Clara Davenport were Tuesday guests at the camp of M. A. Nicholas and family.

"The Bachelors' Bunk" is the camp of Clarence Cook, Merle Selecman, Harold Stafford, John Scowden, "Buster," Harold's little fox terrier, that jumps from an 18-foot ladder, is also there, of course, to-be-sure and faith he is.

"The Silent Sell" camp (c-e-l-l, they spell it, but it's a joke to spell it that way, because they haven't been silent a moment, their neighbors say) is where Aubrey Lyle, Robert Brown, Eugene Cummings, Vern Pickens, Lawrence Keeler and Jesse Miller are hosts. Their musical program Tuesday evening called out the humane society.

"The Bachelor Maids" camp is across the way from "The Silent Sell" and is chaperoned by Mrs. Harry Shipp. They entertained the hosts of "The Silent Sell" at breakfast Tuesday morning and in the evening their guests were Mrs. Chester Bennett.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., will go to Albany to visit his father's sister, Mrs. James I. Eddy.

The entire party will make their trip by the scenic route.

Dr. D. J. Hunterson and Ezra McMullin of Ravenwood were business visitors Wednesday.

### TWO WILLS FILED FOR PROBATE.

Jas. A. Greenlee Left Land to Daughter and Grandchildren—Life interest to Wife of W. E. Johnston.

The will of Jas. A. Greenlee of Hopkins, who died August 8, was filed for probate Tuesday. A. F. Beinert of Hopkins is named as administrator of the will, which disposes of 180 acres in Nodaway county and 160 acres in Greeley county, Kan., to a daughter, Cora Tatman, and 200 acres in Nodaway and 160 in Greeley county, Kan., to the six children of his deceased son, Lafayette Greenlee.

Mary E. Johnston was named Tuesday as the administratrix of the will of her husband, Wm. E. Johnston. By the terms of the will she receives a life interest in the estate. At her death the property is to be divided among three children of the testator, Charles E., John L. and Margaret E. Bohart.

Mrs. Nellie Manley was appointed administratrix of the estate of Edward T. Manley, her husband, Wednesday morning by Judge Conn.

### News of Society and Women's Clubs

#### Resume Their Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nabring of Munice, Ind., the newly-weds who have been the guests of Professor and Mrs. J. A. Lesh for several days, resumed their honeymoon trip to the west Wednesday morning.

#### Attended Week-End Party at Pickering

Glen Brummett and sister, Edna, and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swaney composed an automobile party Saturday night to Pickering, where they attended a week-end party given at the home of Glen and Edna's cousin, east of that town.

#### Were Monday Guests at Infirmary.

Mrs. R. G. Brummett and daughter, Edna, entertained the following guests Monday afternoon: Mrs. F. M. Bramhall and daughter, Ruth, of Mt. Auburn, Ia.; Mrs. H. H. Broady, B. C. Hall, Oma Hall of Wilcox and Fred Riley, wife and daughter of Veray, Ind.; John Golden, Halle Golden and Beulah Golden of Skidmore.

#### Informal Morning Party.

Miss Edna Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, entertained with a domino party Tuesday morning from 8:30 to 10:30 o'clock, in honor of Miss Margaret Beale of St. Joseph, who, with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Beale, are guests at the Moore home and Miss Alice Galbreath of Graham, a cousin of the hostess. Miss Edna Wilson made the highest score at the games. A luncheon was served after the games.

#### Saturday—Pony show in the morning and children's parade in the afternoon.

#### RECORD PRICE MADE.

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EARLING STEERS AND HEIFERS AT \$9.15 SETS NEW HIGH MARK.

N

odaway county set a new high record price on yearlings at the St. Joseph market Tuesday. The Stock Yards Journal says:

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Hamilton Lowery, a successful farmer and live stock raiser of Hopkins, Nodaway county, Mo., was on today's market with one car of Polled Angus mixed yearling steers and heifers, of his own raising and feeding, that established a new high price record on this market for cattle of that classification. The shipment included twenty head, averaging 866 pounds, that sold at \$9.15. Mr. Lowery was rather jubilant over his sale and figures a neat profit on the raising and maturing of this bunch of baby beefes.

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Good Question.

Editor of The Democrat-Forum:

Why is it that nearly all of the towns in Northwest Missouri, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska of the size of Maryville close their business houses from 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., except Saturday, during Chautauqua week and Maryville does not?

A

CHAUTAUQUA BOOSTER.

O

ON TRIP TO NEW YORK.

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IVE Maryville People Will Start

Thursday Evening Over the Bur-

lington For the East.

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Mr. D. R. Eversole and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole, Mrs. Lavencour Michau, Miss Neva Airy and G. B. Holmes, Jr., will leave Thursday evening for New York.

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Mr. Eversole and his daughter-in-law go to purchase goods for the Eversole dry goods store. Mrs. Michau will visit her daughter, Mrs. Edward H. Williams, in New York City for some time, and Miss Airy will be the guest of her uncle, Mr. Frank Airy, in that city.

G

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Mullin of Ravenwood were business visitors Wednesday.

#### JAMES BAILEY DEAD.

Old Resident of Elmo Died Tuesday Afternoon at 3 o'clock.

James Bailey, for many years a highly respected resident of near Elmo, died at his home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after a long illness. The funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the pastor of the M. E. church, Rev. Walker. Mr. Bailey is survived by a large family.

J. Faulkner of Pickering was a Maryville visitor Wednesday.

## TOSSSED IN BLANKET

NORTON HARREL HAS ARM BROKEN AT CHAUTAUQUA.

## A DANGEROUS PRACTICE

Very Often Too Few Persons Are Encaged to Ensure Safety—Injured Boy Doing Well.

The blanket tossing which has been going on at the Chautauqua park and furnishing amusement for the spectators culminated Tuesday evening in the breaking of the arm at the wrist of Norton Harrel, son of Rev. Lee Harrel.

While the accident was most unfortunate, no blame can be placed on the participants other than that such a practice is always dangerous.

Norton was one of several boys to ask to be tossed in the blanket. Those who saw the accident say he was not thrown very high, and did not strike the ground at any time. It is thought that his arm was broken by being snapped or twisted when he held onto the edge of the blanket.

The accident occurred just before the lecture of the evening was over. Rev. and Mrs. Harrel left the grounds before they could be notified of the accident. Dr. Leslie Dean was on the grounds and took the boy home in J. B. Robinson's car. The arm was set by Dr. Nash, the family physician. Norton is doing very well today.

The Sphinx club tossed some of their members in a blanket Sunday, with injury to no one. Then other boys took it up, and in their enthusiasm too few persons often tried to toss others, resulting in letting them strike the ground, jarring and bruising them. Such a thing is very dangerous and liable to seriously injure a person's back or neck.

The boys who tossed Norton Harrel belonged to no particular club or crowd. They had just gathered together to have some fun, which proved very unfortunate.



MRS. LEONORA M. LAKE, Who will appear at the Chautauqua on Thursday afternoon. She appears this year for the thirteenth consecutive year at the great Dwight, Ill., Chautauqua.

## U. S. ARMY AUTOMOBILE.

Passed Through Town Wednesday Morning on Way to Fort Leavenworth.

Two United States army officers went through Maryville today in a large mud-bespattered automobile. They were on their way to Fort Leavenworth, Kas., from the government maneuver grounds at Sparta, Wis., making a test trip to determine whether or not the automobile shall push the rough old army mule down and out. They were delayed three days on the trip because of a broken axle.

## Indiana Visitors Leave.

Mrs. William Brandon and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Riley, and their daughter, Miss Marvel, all of Vevey, Ind., who have been visiting near Wilcox with Mrs. Brandon's brother, John W. Golden, and in Maryville with Mrs. C. J. Golden and family, left Wednesday morning for Pratt, Kan., to visit Mrs. Brandon's sister, Mrs. D. J. Cole.

## THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather; slightly lower temperature tonight; tomorrow fair.

Latest Post Cards 1 cent each at Crane's

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For Prosecuting Attorney—George Pat Wright.

For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.

For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.

For Surveyor—J. E. Rose.

For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.

For Public Administrator—J. F. Roelofson.

Setting Up Concrete Form.

The patent collapsible concrete form recently contracted for by the county court was set up Wednesday on the Main street road a mile and a half north of town over Cady branch for a 6-foot culvert. If the court is satisfied with the demonstration the form will be purchased, otherwise the contract will be rescinded.

## Today's Markets

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—19,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.  
Hogs—25,000. Market strong; top, \$8.55. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.

Sheep—20,000. Market steady.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—11,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—6,000. Market strong; top, \$8.50.

Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,600. Market strong.  
Hogs—5,200. Market strong; top, \$8.50.

Sheep—2,500. Market steady.

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P. & G. White Naptha Soap, 4 for 15c

1912 pack Black Raspberries, in gallon cans, chuck full of fruit for 55c

Best Matches, 10 boxes for..... 25c

25c cans Kansas City Baking Powder for..... 18c

15c size cans Pork and Beans, with to-  
mato sauce, 2 cans..... 15c

Best Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans for 15c

New pack Peas, 2 cans..... 25c

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EXTRA SPECIAL.

15c box Corn Flakes (at half price), 2 for..... 15c

Libby's finest Apple Butter (Pyra-  
mid brand), full quart cans 18c

50 Cudahy's Sugar Cured Picnic

Hams, 6 to 8 lbs each, at..... 12c

15 cans Libby's Vienna Sausage,  
with tomato dressing..... 8c

560 lbs best Jelly Beans, assorted,  
per lb, 10c; 3 lbs for..... 25c

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5 lbs choice Lump Starch for..... 18c

19 lbs Cane Granulated Sugar for \$1.00

Pure Fruit Jelly, large tumblers, 2  
for..... 15c

California Lemons, doz..... 20c

Choice Cucumbers, 3 for..... 5c

Smoked Herring, boneless and  
skinned, lb..... 20c

Best quality Pickles, gal..... 25c

Fresh Sweet Potatoes, 4 lbs for..... 25c

500 lbs Cabbage, per lb..... 2c

Extra choice Peaches, peck..... 45c

Fresh Corn, 2 doz..... 25c

Grapes, per basket, 25c; 2 for..... 45c

Thursday evening and Friday fore-  
noon—

50 bushels choice Elberta Peaches, per  
bushel..... \$1.50

THE TOWNSEND CO.  
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH  
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TO INVESTIGATE  
CLEARING HOUSES

## "BOY AND HIS GANG"

(Continued from page 1.)

Miss LaVera Condon, Messrs. Clyde Hutton and Fred Lewis.

Wickersham Questions Legality of  
Anti-Trust Laws.

WOULD AFFECT ENTIRE COUNTRY

Rule by Which New York Banks Col-  
lect Millions Annually May Have  
to be Changed to Comply  
With Anti-Trust Laws.

Washington, Aug. 14.—A collateral  
phase of the so-called money trust is  
being investigated by Attorney  
General Wickersham.

The inquiry, which may affect  
clearing house associations throughout  
the country, revolves about the  
rule of the New York Clearing House  
association requiring its members to  
charge a specified sum for the col-  
lection of out-of-town checks drawn on  
certain parts of the country, and at  
the same time giving them discretion  
whether to make charges for  
similar collections in other localities.

Which Law is Violated?

A careful and thorough study of  
the workings of this rule is being  
made by the attorney general. It is  
said, to determine whether the Sher-  
man anti-trust law or the national  
bank act is being violated. If action is  
taken it will make precedent for  
all clearing house associations having  
similar rules.

According to the rule of the New  
York Clearing House association, the  
banks composing its membership are  
compelled to charge one-tenth of 1  
per cent for the collection of checks  
payable in most of the states in the  
East and Central West, while the  
charge for the far South and far  
West is one-quarter of 1 per cent. On  
the other hand, the banks are given  
discretion to charge or not to charge  
collection commissions on other locali-  
ties.

Two Questions Involved.

There are two questions involved  
in the inquiry—the right of the banks  
to concerted action through the clearing  
house association to agree on  
fixed charges and their right to  
charge in some localities and not in  
others. The officials of the department  
of justice have recently been in  
communication with managers of the  
clearing house association to ascertain  
the facts.

The association, it is understood,  
has pointed out that in addition to  
the cost of collection the charge is  
fair and necessary, because a cus-  
tomer is permitted to draw on an out  
of town check at once, the bank re-  
ceiving no interest during the period  
of collection.

Manager and Mrs. P. O. Landon had  
for dinner guests at their camp for  
12 o'clock dinner Wednesday Dr. Put-  
fer of Boston, Miss May O'rear, Mrs. A.  
R. Perrin and Miss Lottie Perrin.

The Three Camps of Unclaimed  
Blessings, on Shady avenue, is a real  
popular place. Those making their  
home there this week are Mr. and Mrs.  
E. C. Woffers, Jr., and their daughter,  
Miss Mildred, were guests at the  
camp Monday and Tuesday.

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fer of Boston, Miss May O'rear, Mrs. A.  
R. Perrin and Miss Lottie Perrin.

Theaters Without Orchestra.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Four downtown  
theaters have decided to do away  
with orchestras. Under the rules of  
the Chicago Federation of Musicians,  
the four houses, being in the first  
class, must employ a minimum of  
11 musicians in their orchestras or  
none at all. The theaters chose the  
latter alternative.

General Booth III.

London, Aug. 14.—General Booth of  
the Salvation Army is critically ill.  
He has been in failing health for a  
long time, but seemed better lately.

"I regret," his doctor said, "that the  
improvement has not been main-  
tained."

MOB PUNISHED NEGRO SLAYER

HAD JUST BEEN SENTENCED TO  
THREE YEARS IN PRISON.

Culprit Was Taken From Officers In  
Daylight and Shot—Avengers  
Were Unmasked.

Normal Supplies, Crane's  
special prices at

Columbus, Ga., Aug. 14.—Holding  
up officials in the courthouse, a mob  
of about 40 men here took T. Z. Cot-  
ton, also known as T. Z. McElhenny,  
a 16-year-old negro on trial, and  
lynched him just beyond the city limits  
in broad daylight. The negro was  
accused of killing Cedron Land, a  
white boy, near town two months ago.

Guards were overpowered in the  
courthouse a few minutes after Cot-  
ton had been sentenced to three years  
in prison. A jury had just brought in  
a verdict of "guilty of unlawful man-  
slaughter."

The courthouse was crowded during  
the trial. As soon as court adjourned  
many of the officials left. When de-  
puties started out with the prisoner on  
the way to the jail they were sur-  
rounded and disarmed and held in the  
courthouse while a score or more of  
men took the prisoner to a street car.  
On reaching the negro quarter of  
town the passengers were ordered off  
the car, which then proceeded a few  
hundred yards. Then the negro was  
taken off and shot. The mob dis-  
persed at once.

Land was found in a field with a  
shotgun wound in his face. He had  
had trouble with the negro, who was  
soon arrested. It is said Cotton con-  
fessed.

The members of the mob were not  
masked and many of them were  
recognized. An inquest was held and  
there will be an investigation of the  
lynching immediately.

## "BOY AND HIS GANG"

(Continued from page 1.)

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to a small family. She still has

left a bed room suit, a nice  
couch, a library table, a center  
table, two tete-a-tetes, two rockers  
and a few chairs, and some  
kitchen utensils. Everything  
must go before the opening of  
school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Brewer returned  
Monday night from a month's visit  
with Mrs. Brewer's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. C. M. Chittenden, in St. Joseph.

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Afternoon address by MRS. LEONORA LAKE, a wonderful speaker. Don't miss  
hearing her.

Night address by HON. RICHARD YATES, Ex-Governor of Illinois.

Come Out to the Big Chautauqua

# BANKERS HELP UNCOVER GRAFT

Clearing House Orders Records of Deposits Given to Prosecutor.

## BECKER WEALTH CAME RAPIDLY

Anxious to Break Up Alliance Between Police and Gamblers New York Institutions Break Long Established Custom.

New York, Aug. 14.—Powerful banking interests, acting through the New York clearing house committee came to the aid of District Attorney Whitman in his efforts to show a corrupt alliance between police and gamblers founded on graft and black mail.

A virtual command was given by the committee to all banks in the clearing house to furnish the district attorney with a record of deposits they may have received from any of the high police officials whom the district attorney suspects of having been collectors of blackmail from the disorderly elements of the city.

Got \$58,845 in Eight Months.

Records show that within the last eight months Police Lt. Charles Becker, charged with the murder of Herman Rosenthal and accused of gambling graft, has made deposits in four banks of \$58,845 in his own name or that of his wife.

Becker's salary as a police lieutenant was \$2,250 a year.

These deposits were first made in November, 1911, shortly after Becker became head of the "strong arm" squad of gambling raiders, and continued all during the time that Jack Rose says he was collecting graft for Becker and until after his arrest.

Used Four Other Banks.

The district attorney has been promised records of Becker's deposits in four other banks which have not yet had time to go over their accounts.

Although the natural feeling of bank officials is to protect as a legal and confidential secret the amount of deposits of their customers, Whitman was assured by leading bankers of the city that they were anxious as public spirited citizens to have the police force pranged of its grafters and that they would give him every aid in their power.

The district attorney is holding for presentation to the grand jury evidence by which he expects to convict the police inspectors on the charge of collecting blackmail from gambling houses and disorderly resorts.

Fortunes Hidden Away.

These four men are all aware, it is said, of the nature of the evidence which the district attorney has against them and have been making every effort to cover their tracks. Thus far the state's investigators have uncovered bank accounts of two of them totalling \$75,000. The prosecutor expects, however, with the aid of the clearing house officers to unearth bank accounts of four of them which are expected to disclose some surprisingly large fortunes, in one case an accumulation of nearly \$1,000,000.

## PANIC AVERTED BY CIRCUS BAND

Heavy Storm Broke Center Poles Played "America" While Crowd Was Quieted.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 14.—A near panic resulted when three large poles supporting the main tent of a circus snapped in two in the storm here.

Circus performers and spectators began hurrying from the tent. The clashing notes of a clown band were dashed and every band in the big tent joined in playing "America" very softly and circus employes hurried around telling the spectators that there was no danger. Only one injury was reported.

Reports indicate that the storm was general in central and southern Iowa but no loss of life has been reported.

## PLUMBERS' TRUST TO BE OUSTED

Attorney General Dawson Files Suit Against Wyandotte County and State Organizations.

Topeka, Aug. 14.—John S. Dawson, Kansas attorney general, has drawn papers for the ouster suit against the alleged plumbers' trust in Kansas City, Kan. The attorney general has been investigating the alleged manipulation of prices by the plumbers for some time and spent three days in Kansas City getting the evidence on which the suit will be based.

The ouster will be filed in the Kansas supreme court immediately and will be brought against the Wyandotte county and state organizations of plumbers under the anti-trust law.

Tornado Hit Kansas Fair.

Pratt, Kan., Aug. 14.—A small tornado struck the fair grounds here, tearing down part of the grandstand and demolishing every concession stand on the grounds. Many thousands of dollars' worth of damage was done to the stocks of goods. Work was started immediately in repairing the damage for the big day of the fair.

PHILANDER C. KNOX



## WOOL BILL VETO IS TURNED DOWN

House Passed Measure by Narrow Margin of Five Votes.

## RULING OF SPEAKER DISPUTED

Clark Stood Pat and Refused to Re-consider Decision—Senate Action Unlikely—Sugar Con-ferrees Disagree.

Washington, Aug. 14.—By the narrow margin of five votes, the house passed the wool tariff revision bill over President Taft's veto. The vote, 174 to 80, was made possible by the defection of 21 Republicans, who voted with the Democrats.

The announcement of Democratic success created a wild scene in the house, and amid great confusion the Republican leaders protested that Speaker Clark count as voting ten members who answered "present" to their names, a ruling which would have defeated the Democratic program by overcoming the five-vote margin, making impossible the recording of the necessary two-thirds vote of the house. This the speaker declined to do.

Marks End of Sugar Bill.

Less than an hour after the wool bill had been repassed in the house the conferees on the sugar tariff bill met and disagreed.

This action is expected to mark the end of sugar tariff consideration in the present session, and the excise tax bill, which was framed to make up revenues that would have been lost by the reduction of the sugar tariff, also probably will remain in conference when congress adjourns.

While Democratic and Progressive leaders of the senate do not believe the wool bill can be passed in that body over the president's veto, they will continue the demand for action on the cotton tariff measure.

Tumult Follows Passage.

Not in the memory of the oldest members of the house has a tariff measure ever been passed over the president's veto by the lower branch of congress.

When Speaker Clark announced the vote and declared the bill again had been passed, "the president's veto to the contrary notwithstanding," there was a wild outburst of applause from the Democratic side. The tumult was increased by the demands of a half dozen Republicans that the ruling was unconstitutional.

When a semblance of order was restored, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts insisted that the constitution provided that a two-thirds vote of the house was necessary. The speaker, when the debate broke out with renewed vigor, quickly put a damper on it.

"You may talk all you want," he said, "but the chair has no intention now or later of changing its ruling."

## CHURCH FIREWORKS KILL FOUR

MANUFACTURER AND FOUR OTHERS ARE VICTIMS.

Many Houses Damaged by Flying Debris—Authorities Say Dynamite Was Being Used.

Auburn, N. Y., Aug. 14.—Five persons were killed, four almost instantly, in an explosion of fireworks and explosives in the home of Raphael Cheche here.

The victims were Cosimo Carmelengo, a maker of fireworks, whose home is in New Jersey, and Mrs. Mary Cheche and three children, Emma, aged 11; Armando, aged 9, and Carmela, aged 7.

The fireworks were being prepared by Carmelengo for a big celebration planned to be given by the St. Francis D'Assisi church in observance of the feast of the Assumption on Aug. 15.

Carmelengo came here from home and brought with him four boxes of explosives to be used in the fireworks.

Although it was said that this was dynamite the police and the fire department, both of which worked on the case, believe that it was dynamite.

The Cheche house, a two-story frame structure, was completely annihilated. After the explosion it was a mass of splinters and stone. The bodies were mangled. Several of them were blown to pieces. The youngest child suffered a fractured skull and died at the city hospital.

There was a series of detonations, one succeeding the other in rapid order. They were heard for miles around. Houses within a radius of a quarter of a mile or more were damaged by the flying timbers and stones and by the force of the explosions.

## WOMEN CANDIDATES PLENTIFUL

Four Are Running for Chase County, Kansas, Offices—All Have Men Opponents.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., Aug. 14.—All four of the women candidates who are running for county offices in Chase county were nominated at last week's primary election, the unusual fact being that each one of the four was nominated without opposition.

Two of the women—Mrs. Bertha Plummer and Miss Gussie Houston—are now the Republican nominees for the offices of register of deeds and clerk of the district court, respectively. Miss Anna Arnold on the Democratic ticket was the nominee for the office of county superintendent, while Miss Pearl Bledsoe, the fourth woman was nominated on the Socialist ticket for county high school trustee of the second district.

The first three women named are at present holding the office for which they have again been nominated and all four women will have men opponents at the November election.

Rob Kaiser's Sister

London, Aug. 14.—That Princess Frederick Charles of Hesse, the Kaiser's sister, was robbed of jewels as she was leaving London for Germany has just leaked out. Apparently the casket was stolen from the royal car at Victoria station, while good-bys were being exchanged between the princess and her relatives of the British royal family.

Quakes Kill 3,000.

Berlin, Aug. 14.—Three thousand are known to have been killed in the earthquake in Southeastern Turkey, according to a message from Constantinople to the Tageblatt. Fifty thousand are homeless and starving. An active crater is reported to have appeared on the Asiatic side of the Sea of Marmara.

Bars High School Frats.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 14.—The local school board put a ban on all secret societies in St. Joseph high school. All students entering the high schools must sign a pledge that they will not join any fraternity or sorority. Expulsion will be the penalty for a violation of the pledge.

## WOOL BILL VETO IS TURNED DOWN

House Passed Measure by Narrow Margin of Five Votes.

## RULING OF SPEAKER DISPUTED

Clark Stood Pat and Refused to Re-consider Decision—Senate Action Unlikely—Sugar Con-ferrees Disagree.

Washington, Aug. 14.—By the narrow margin of five votes, the house passed the wool tariff revision bill over President Taft's veto. The vote, 174 to 80, was made possible by the defection of 21 Republicans, who voted with the Democrats.

The announcement of Democratic success created a wild scene in the house, and amid great confusion the Republican leaders protested that Speaker Clark count as voting ten members who answered "present" to their names, a ruling which would have defeated the Democratic program by overcoming the five-vote margin, making impossible the recording of the necessary two-thirds vote of the house. This the speaker declined to do.

Marks End of Sugar Bill.

Less than an hour after the wool bill had been repassed in the house the conferees on the sugar tariff bill met and disagreed.

This action is expected to mark the end of sugar tariff consideration in the present session, and the excise tax bill, which was framed to make up revenues that would have been lost by the reduction of the sugar tariff, also probably will remain in conference when congress adjourns.

While Democratic and Progressive leaders of the senate do not believe the wool bill can be passed in that body over the president's veto, they will continue the demand for action on the cotton tariff measure.

Tumult Follows Passage.

Not in the memory of the oldest members of the house has a tariff measure ever been passed over the president's veto by the lower branch of congress.

When Speaker Clark announced the vote and declared the bill again had been passed, "the president's veto to the contrary notwithstanding," there was a wild outburst of applause from the Democratic side. The tumult was increased by the demands of a half dozen Republicans that the ruling was unconstitutional.

When a semblance of order was restored, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts insisted that the constitution provided that a two-thirds vote of the house was necessary. The speaker, when the debate broke out with renewed vigor, quickly put a damper on it.

"You may talk all you want," he said, "but the chair has no intention now or later of changing its ruling."

## FIFTY-THREE COUNTIES REPORT

Kansas Returns Show Steady Gain for Stubbs—Now Leading Curtis by 2,000.

Topeka, Aug. 14.—Gov. Stubbs is leading Senator Curtis by more than 2,000 in the popular majority in one-half the Kansas counties from which official returns had been received by Charles Sessions, secretary of state.

There are returns from 53 of the counties received and the total on these counties gives Stubbs 23,383 and Curtis 21,366.

Some of the big Curtis counties like Shawnee, Crawford and Cherokee were not in the list and big Stubbs counties like Wyandotte and Sedgwick were not included. Most of the counties counted are small western Kansas counties which the governor carried.

The big counties missing are almost a stand-off on the votes so it is impossible to tell yet whether the governor has the popular majority. The indications are that he has, as the figures obtained from 71 counties through the newspapers and the official figures gives it to the governor by 1,269.

The Largest Mule Burned.

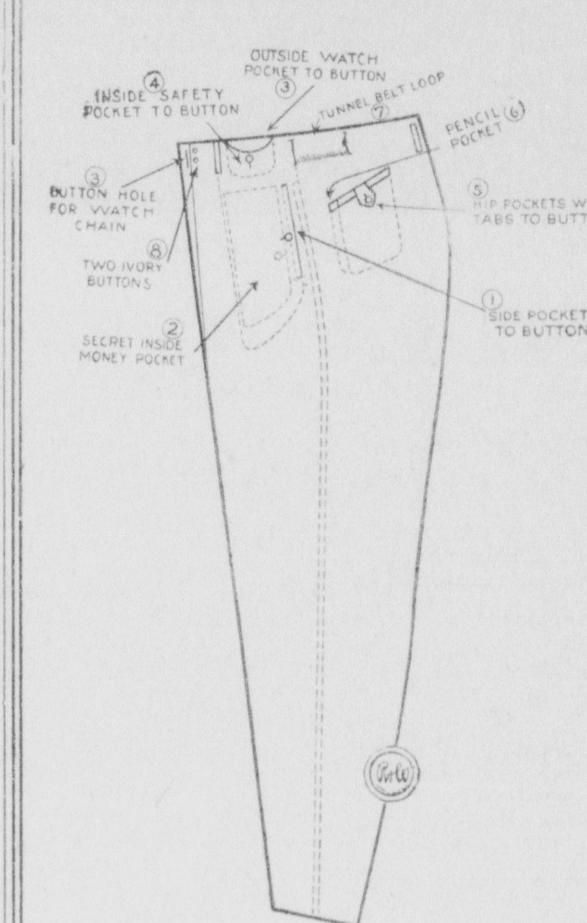
Trenton, Mo., Aug. 14.—The mule Illinois, said to be the largest mule in the world, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the livery and feed barn of W. H. Warren here. Illinois belonged to W. D. Carpenter of Kansas City and was four years old. He weighed 2,610 pounds and was valued at \$1,000.

Schurman a Diplomat.

Washington, Aug. 14.—President Taft sent to the senate the nomination of Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell university, to be minister to Greece and Montenegro, and that of Christopher Kalahan to be receiver of public moneys at Vancouver, Wash.

German Cave-in Fatal.

Dortmund, Germany, Aug. 14.—Twenty-six workmen were buried by the fall of a slag bank at an iron works in the suburbs of this city. Eight bodies have been extricated and it is believed that all the men per-



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### HAS SUFFERED LONG ENOUGH

From Poor Rural Schools--Mill Tax Amendment Will Mean Much For Schools and State.

Missouri has suffered long enough from poor rural schools. The farmers who have protested against the imitation education meted out to their children will cut short inadequate school conditions by voting for the school mill tax amendment, which will be a feature of the November ballot. The rural schools of other states are forging ahead of those of Missouri, and in those districts where consolidated schools have been established the farmers are content. Their sons and daughters are becoming of practical benefit to them. With the adoption of the mill tax amendment our rural children will get the square deal due them. Missouri farmers are not balking at education and never have. What they are really objecting to is the miserly sort of education offered. With the mill tax Missouri will get the best that can be had anywhere.

The right to go to school is the right of every child in the United States. Rural schools which afford but four months' terms each year and are taught by untrained teachers are not giving the child anything like its right. Missouri needs first class schools with first class teachers in charge and agricultural departments. Let us have them by putting over the school mill tax amendment, which provides for the equal distribution of school funds.

### NEW DAILY IN ST. JOSEPH.

Roosevelt Supporters Are Backing a New Newspaper Venture There.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 13.—Plans are under way for the starting of a progressive newspaper here, as neither of the local daily papers is in sympathy with the Bull Moose movement. The plan is favored by local Roosevelt supporters. According to present intentions the paper will be a 4-page 6-column daily. The paper will be backed by local Progressives. Frank L. Wright, former Denver and Kansas City newspaper man, will be editor, and Ell Admire of Denver, business manager.

J. F. Montgomery went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. J. A. Martin of Clyde was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

### WHAT REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY IS.

What has the result been? Prosperity? Yes, if by prosperity you mean vast wealth, no matter how distributed or whether distributed at all or not; if you mean fast enterprises built up to be presently concentrated under the control of comparatively small bodies of men, who can determine almost at pleasure whether there shall be competition or not. The nation as a nation has grown immensely rich. She is justly proud of her industries and of the genius of her men of affairs. They can master anything they set their mind to, and we have been greatly stimulated under their leadership and command. Their laurels are many and very green. We must accord them the great honors that are their due, and we must preserve what they have built up for us. But what of the other side of the picture? It is not easy for us to live as it used to be. Our money will not buy as much high wages, even when we can get them, yield us no great comfort. We used to be better off with less, because a dollar could buy so much more. The majority of us have been disturbed to find ourselves growing poorer, even though our earnings were slowly increasing. Prices climb faster than we can push our earnings up—from Woodrow Wilson's speech accepting the Democratic nomination.

### LABOR AND THE RULE OF RIGHT.

The working people of America—if they must be distinguished from the minority that constitutes the rest of it—are, of course, the backbone of the nation. No law that safeguards their life, that improves the physical and moral conditions under which they live, that makes their hours of labor rational and tolerable, that gives them freedom to act in their own interest and that protects them where they cannot protect themselves, can properly be regarded as class legislation or as anything but as a measure taken in the interest of the whole people, whose partnership in right action we are trying to establish and make real and practical. It is in this spirit that we shall act if we are genuine spokesmen of the whole country.—From Woodrow Wilson's speech accepting the Democratic nomination.

### Has Appropriated \$400.

The Missouri state board of horticulture has appropriated from its funds the sum of \$400 with which to duplicate regular premiums offered for fruit exhibits at the Missouri state fair at Sedalia, September 28-October 4th, 1912.

This co-operation on the part of the board with the fair management is for the purpose of arousing greater interest among the fruit growers of the state in the exhibition of their horticultural products.

Premium lists may be secured from John T. Stinson, secretary, Sedalia, Mo., or the secretary of the state board of horticulture, Columbia, Mo., will be glad to answer any and all inquiries concerning the above offer.

Missouri fruit growers should take advantage of this offer and send in their fruit as per instructions in the premium list.

### On Way to Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Nola Young, who has been visiting at Clarinda and Braddyville, Ia., for the past three months, was the guest Wednesday of her cousin, Miss Tura Hostetter of Pickering. Miss Young expects to be at home by September 1 at Mt. Pleasant, Ia., where she will begin her college and high school work.

### Harry Dungan in Town.

Attorney Harry Dungan of Oregon, Mo., was a business visitor in Maryville Wednesday, and also visited his friend Superintendent C. A. Hawkins. Mr. Dungan is a Hopkins young man, and is one of that town's products who are proving themselves of extra good quality.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the G. A. R. post and the W. R. C., and the ladies of the Baptist church and friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and attention to us at the death and burial of our beloved father, Cornelius Hull.

### THE HULL FAMILY.

### To Address Teachers.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal will address the Buchanan County Teachers' association at their county meeting to be held in St. Joseph on August 28 and 29. He will speak on the mill tax amendment.

### Will Attend Fern Theatre.

J. B. Ells of the Fern theater has extended invitations to the inmates of the county infirmary to attend the Fern theater Saturday afternoon, and it has been accepted by them.

Mrs. Maude Goodyear of Mt. Vernon, Ia., is a guest at the homes of J. W. Armstrong and J. S. Muntz. She is a niece of Mrs. Armstrong and a cousin of Mr. Muntz. Mr. Goodyear is in Excelsior Springs, where he and Mrs. Goodyear went in a car with another couple, and she left the party to visit relatives here.

Mr. William P. Filbert of Trenton, Neb., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Hostetter of Pickering. Mr. Filbert will visit at Tarkio and Clarinda, Ia., before returning to his home in Trenton.

Dr. Roland Allender of Boone, Ia., who has been spending a few days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender, left Tuesday for Lake Okoboji, Ia., to spend the remainder of his vacation.

Miss Lela Meadows has returned to her home, near Maitland, after her summer's work at the State Normal. Miss Meadows will teach near her home the coming year.

Miss Ina Hollowell left Wednesday morning for a visit with relatives at Washington, Kan.

Mrs. M. G. Tate went to Excelsior Springs Wednesday morning for a few days' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Casteel of Ravencwood were in the city Wednesday.

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P. S.—The date of the Pike's Peak Region annual "Shan Kive" and Summer Carnival has been set as Aug. 27, 28 and 29. It will be held at Colorado Springs—Manitou, and will be larger and grander than ever. You ought to arrange to be there at that time, if possible.

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